

## WWW.Searcct.gov.my No. 516, Persiaran Tuanku Ja'afar, Bukit Persekutuan, 50480, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Emel: info@searcct.gov.my Telefon: +603 - 2280 2800 Faksimili: +603 -2274 9787





The Southeast Asia Regional Centre for Counter-Terrorism
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS MALAYSIA

## SEARCCT ANNUAL REVIEW 2022



SEARCCT ANNUAL REVIEW 2022

## TABLE OF CONTENT

Executive Summary	OC
Year In Numbers/ 2022 In Numbers	OC

- Total Staffs And Divisions
- Budget And Expenditure
- Total Programmes
- Total Participants And Countries

Organisational Structure	00
Planning And Training Division	00
Research And Publications Division	00
Digital Strategic Communication Divisions	00
Administration And Finance Divisions	00
Annexes	00

Annex A: Searcct Programmes In 2022

Annex B: Participants By Programmes

Annex C: Programmes By Flagships

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

In retrospect, 2022 was a challenging year from the perspective of counter-terrorism and preventing and countering violent extremism (PCVE) practitioners. The threat landscape of terrorism and violent extremism evolved in tandem with the transitions caused by fear, uncertainty, and disruption due to the COVID-19 pandemic as seen during the preceding pandemic years.

Limited maneuverability and capacity for terrorist and violent extremist groups to carry out their physical operations had provided them with more favorable settings and opportunities to reach out, influence, and even recruit potential members via virtual platforms. Daesh, for instance, remained a significant threat to regional and global security – fueled by a thriving pro-Daesh ecosystem on social media. The group's violent ideology continued to resonate with its radical supporters as evidenced when Daesh's announced its new leader, Abu al-Hussein, in November 2022; its followers in Southeast Asia and around the world pledged their allegiance.

Moreover, as COVID-19 travel restrictions ease and cross-border travel resumes in 2022, the situation had, somehow, heightened terrorism related incidents and activities in some parts of the world. There appeared to be an increase in the number of terrorism hotspots, most notably in West Africa and the Sahel region, where terrorist groups such as Daesh, Al-Qaeda, and their affiliates had made significant inroads into the communities by exploiting the constant instability, fragility, and conflict. Consequently, the Sahel became the most affected region, accounting for 43% of global terrorism-related deaths in 2022, a 7% increase from the previous year.

Additionally, even though there had been a significant decline in terrorist incidents in the West, the landscape of terrorism has been reshaped by the alarming threat of far-right extremism. The significant rise of far-right movements had subsequently inspired some of the most heinous acts of domestic terrorism, particularly in several Western countries in 2022. This demonstrated how pervasive and widespread terrorism has remained on a global scale.

This global upward trend should not be overlooked despite Malaysia was able to enjoy another peaceful year without any untoward incidents of terror. As such, there is always a need to put in place dynamic policies and dedicated measures to address the drivers of terrorism and violent extremism, with a focus on preventive measures as an effective way to hedge against the unpredictability of such evolving threats.

For this reason, the Southeast Asia Regional Centre for Counter-Terrorism (SEARCCT) has increased its efforts on addressing and countering the drivers of violent extremism. SEARCCT has also been actively engaged in examining how violent extremist messaging, conspiracy theories, hate speech, and disinformation are becoming intertwined online as the terrorism threat in the region and globally persists.

At the same time, SEARCCT continues to advocate for a whole-of-society approach in PCVE efforts through engagement with various stakeholders, including youth, civil society organisations (CSOs), community leaders, media practitioners, and private enterprise, among others. SEARCCT regarded these groups as invaluable partners and substantial resources in better understanding structural conditions within the communities. This has allowed SEARCCT to come up with capacity-building, research, public outreach programmes, and messaging initiatives that are context-specific and nuanced.

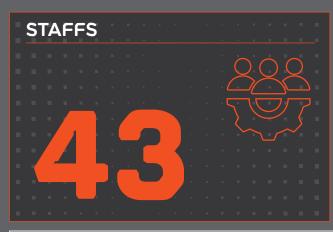
Looking back at 2022, SEARCCT conducted 28 capacity-building programmes with 1,235 participants, both locally and internationally. They were from a variety of relevant governmental and non-governmental organisations in Malaysia, as well as from ASEAN and other countries. The year also saw an increase in SEARCCT network of collaborators, a testament to the Centre's dedication to a multistakeholder approach in PCVE efforts. This has inspired SEARCCT to forge even closer collaboration with like-minded agencies and stakeholders in promoting peace, stability, and security against terrorist and violent extremist threats in the country and beyond

SEARCCTcontinues to advocate for a whole-of-society approach in PCVE efforts through engagement with various stakeholders, including youth, civil society organisations (CSOs), community leaders, media practitioners, and private enterprise, among others.





## YEAR IN NUMBERS





TOTAL ALLOCATION FOR 2022

RM4,757,600.00



TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR 2022 (ENDED 31 DECEMBER)

RM4,667,861.97 (98.31%)



TOTAL PROGRAMMES

28

TOTAL PARTICIPANTS

1,235

(84 International Participants)

## ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

**DATO' GANESON SIVAGURUNATHAN**DIRECTOR GENERAL

MR. MOHD HASRIL BIN
ABD HAMID
DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL 1

MR. ROSLAN BIN SHARIF
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
GENERAL 2

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

NURUL HIDAYAH BINTI MOHD NOAR

RESEARCHER

DR. ROZITA BINTI WAHAB RESEARCHER

SITI AISYAH BINTI TAJARI RESEARCHER DIGITAL STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION

··· ASRUL DANIEL BIN AHMED DIRECTOR

·· AKIL BIN YUNUS ANALYST

·· PA ARUL MALAR ANALYST #88 PLANNING AND TRAINING DIVISION

" SUPT. LOO CHEE LUM DIRECTOR

···· CAPTAIN RAWI BIN ISA
DEPUTY DIRECTOR

ASP PRAKASH A/L
ANGAMUTHU
DEPUTY DIRECTOR

ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION

NEOW CHOO SEONG ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

AMIRUL ZAKI BIN
FADZIR
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

JORDAN

**IRUTHEEYANATHAN**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

## SUMMARY OF DIVISION'S FOCUS AND CORE ACTIVITIES 2022



These programmes received strong support from its local collaborators and strategic partners such as the Ministry of Home Affairs (MOHA), Ministry of Defence (MINDEF), Ministry of Health (MOH), National Security Council (NSC), Office of the Chief Government Security Officer of the Prime Minister's Department, Attorney General Chambers (AGC), Royal Malaysian Police (RMP), Malaysian Armed Forces (MAF), Fire & Rescue Department, Immigration Department, Royal Customs & Excise Department, Civil Defence Department, Department of Civil Aviation, Chemistry Department, Atomic Energy Licensing Board (AELB) and the Central Bank of Malaysia (BNM). Apart from government agencies, SEARCCT also received support and cooperation from various private agencies, such as the Penang Airport, Malaysia Airline System (MAS), Malaysia Airports Holding Berhad (MAHB), Air Asia Berhad, and Pos Aviation. For 2022 programmes, the Division also received support from foreign collaborators, namely, the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and the United States Department of Justice Office (OPDAT).

In terms of content, these programmes focused on various types of activities that could produce immediate outcomes, such as action plans, investigational checklists, and end-result documents derived from group discussions. These were valuable tools that helped participants gain a deeper understanding of the topic.



## PLANNING AND TRAINING DIVISION

## SUMMARY OF DIVISION'S FOCUS AND CORE ACTIVITIES 2022

The Planning and Training Division develops and organises comprehensive capacity-building programmes with the aim of enhancing the knowledge and skills of government and law enforcement officials on counter-terrorism measures through partnerships with foreign and local collaborators.



these programmes focused on various types of activities that could produce immediate outcomes, such as action plans, investigational checklists, and end-result documents derived from group discussions.

LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022

## PLANNING AND TRAINING DIVISION

**LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022** 

### COUNTERING THE FINANCING OF TERRORISM TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR MALAYSIA: FOUNDATIONAL COURSE

SEARCCT, in collaboration with UNODC, had successfully institutions, in line with national laws, UN frameworks and other Terrorism Training (CFT) Programme for Malaysia: Foundational Course" at Pelangi Resort Langkawi from 9 to 11 February 2022. The course was the first in a series on the topic and funded by The three-day programme consists of several components and the Government of Canada.

attended the course. The speakers and trainers were experts ROSEA), AGC, and BNM.

The main objective of the course was to enhance the knowledge—active participation during guizzes and discussions. and technical capacity of government officials in preventing, detecting, and disrupting terrorist financing through strengthened investigative skills and effective collaboration among relevant

conducted a course entitled "Countering the Financing of international standards including the recommendations of the Financial Action Task Force (FATF).

modules, namely: (i) Introduction to Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (AML/CFT); (ii) Legal A total of 28 participants from various ministries and agencies Frameworks; (iii) The Evolution of Terrorist Groups in Southeast Asia; (iv) The Role of the Different Agencies; (v) Financial from the UNODC Regional Office for Southeast Asia (UNODC- Intelligence; (vi) Financial Investigation Techniques; and (vii) International and Public-Private Cooperation. The participants showed great interest throughout the course through their









## TERRORISM 101 COURSE

SEARCCT, in collaboration with Sarawak Information System Sdn. Bhd. (SAINS), a privately owned company of the Sarawak State Government and the state's leading ICT Systems Integrator and Solutions Provider, had successfully concluded the Terrorism 101 programme from 22 to 23 February 2022. The course was held at the Chemsain Auditorium in Kuching, Sarawak, and attended by a total of 36 executives and managers from SAINS.

The main objective of the programme was to enhance the participants' understanding of issues and challenges related to the threat of terrorism and on counter-terrorism efforts in Malaysia.

Throughout the programme, participant exhibited a high level of engagement and enthusiasm. They offered constructive comments for the course evaluation and expressed hope for SAINS to explore new opportunities for collaboration with SEARCCT to coorganise additional relevant programmes in the future.









LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022

## PLANNING AND TRAINING DIVISION

LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022

### AN INTRODUCTION TO BATTLEFIELD EVIDENCE FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE PRACTITIONERS

SEARCCT, in collaboration with Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance, and Training (OPDAT), the United States Department of Justice Office, had successfully concluded the "An Introduction to Battlefield Evidence for Criminal Justice Practitioners' programme from 13 to 15 July 2022. The event was held at the DoubleTree Hilton in Kuala Lumpur.

A total of 21 participants from the NSC, SEARCCT, MAF, RMP, AGC, Judicial and Legal Training Institute, and Federal Court of Malaysia attended this programme.

The primary goal of the programme was to educate participants on how to evaluate and utilise evidence discovered in former ISIS territory in the investigation, prosecution, and adjudication of returning foreign terrorist fighters.

Based on the positive feedback from the participants, OPDAT will explore the possibility of collaborating with SEARCCT to coorganise additional relevant programmes in the future.









## CBRNe TERRORISM AWARENESS AND MEDICAL EMERGENCY CONSEQUENCE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

SEARCCT, in collaboration with Hospital Sultanah Bahiyah Participants were exposed to various CBRNe subjects ranging and Hospital Selayang, Alor Setar, and with support from the from the basics of CBRNe, mode of dispersal, managing Kedah State Health Department, had successfully organised post-attack situations, and emergency decontamination. The the "Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and Explosives workshop provided them with an insight on the significance of (CBRNe) Terrorism Awareness and Medical Emergency understanding the roles of other agencies as first responders in Consequence Management Workshop". The workshop was held the event of CBRNe incidents. at the Dewan Besar Majlis Bandaraya Alor Setar (MBAS) and the Fire and Rescue Department of Malaysia Headquarters in Kedah The workshop concluded with a full demonstration of the CBRNe from 29 to 31 March 2022.

A total of 144 participants from various hospitals and clinics in from Hospital Sultanah Bahiyah, followed by Personal Protective the Northern Region participated in this three-day workshop.

First Response Operation by the Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Team of the Fire and Rescue Department and the Medical Team Equipment (PPE) usage.









**LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022** 

## AVIATION SECURITY WORKSHOP (BASIC) 2022

SEARCCT had successfully concluded the "Aviation Security Workshop (Basic) 2022" at the Wembley - A St. Giles Hotel in Penang, from 23 to 25 August 2022.

The workshop was attended by 30 participants from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, MOHA, Ministry of Transport, RMP, NSC, Royal Malaysian Customs Department, Immigration Department of Malaysia, MAHB, Civil Aviation Authority of Malaysia (CAAM), and Pos Aviation.

The objectives of the workshop were to expose participants to issues of terrorism involving civil aviation and measures taken by the Malaysian government to prevent it. The workshop also aimed at establishing public-private partnerships in the field of public aviation security and increasing participants' knowledge of addressing issues in civil aviation.

All participants displayed great interest in the workshop and requested an advanced aviation security programmes in the future. Moving forward, SEARCCT would be studying all the relevant stakeholders and explore new collaborations in the future.











# RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

## **AN OVERVIEW**

The Research and Publication Division of SEARCCT is responsible for conducting research and analysis on various aspects of counter-terrorism, including the ideologies, tactics, and strategies of terrorist groups. In 2022, the Division focused on the topics of terrorist use of the internet, women and terrorism, and gaming and extremism.

## RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

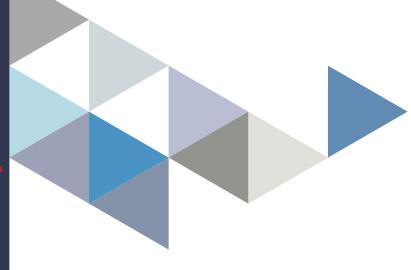
## AN OVERVIEW

In addition to conducting research, the Division also publishes a variety of materials, such as articles, journals, and monographs. These publications are widely distributed to policymakers, law enforcement agencies, and other stakeholders in the counterterrorism community, as well as the general public. In 2022, the Division published its 6th edition of SEARCCT's Selection of Articles. The publication is a compilation of six articles written by subject-matter experts on topics related to terrorism, Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (PCVE), security studies, peace and conflict studies, and international relations.

As part of SEARCCT's public awareness initiative, the Division also organised engagement programmes in 2022 such as the SEARCCT's University Lecture Series, forums, webinars, seminars, and podcasts. Throughout the year, the division interacted with over 400 participants from various government ministries and agencies, non-governmental organisations, universities, the media, and youth.

The activities that took place in 2022 laid the groundwork for the Division's future plan of exploring more engagement, collaborative opportunities, and partnerships with relevant government and non-governmental organisations, as well as other institutions both locally and internationally.

Throughout the ministries and agenci



## RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION **PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS IN 2022**

## Webinar 'Manifesting Peaceful Coexistence in the Digital Space' (Manifestasi Falsafah Hidup Bersama dalam Budaya Damai di Ruang Digital)

In 2022, the Division explored and introduced new themes for its public awareness programmes. The themes were peaceful coexistence and the role of religion and religious actors in preventing violent extremism (PVE). On the former, a virtual webinar titled "Manifesting Peaceful Coexistence in the Digital Space" (Manifestasi Falsafah Hidup Bersama dalam Budaya Damai di Ruang Digital) was organised on 17 May 2022, and featured a moderator and speakers from non-governmental organisations (The Centre), academia (Universiti Putra Malaysia), a youth organisation (the University of Malaya Young Leaders' Association), and a tech company (Microsoft).

From the webinar, we learned the importance of partnerships and a whole-of-society approach, as well as the critical role of education in making the Internet a safer place. This also resonated with our youth representative, who emphasised the active role of youth in the digital space in propagating positive messages.

## Webinar 'Manifesting Peaceful Coexistence in the Digital Space' (Manifestasi Falsafah Hidup Bersama dalam Budaya Damai di Ruang Digital)

Dr. Khairil Izamin Ahmad (The Centre): Moderator & Dr. Murni Wan Mohd Nor (UPM):

Lim San Shien (UM Young Leaders' Association); and Speakers

Dr. Jasmine Begum (Microsoft)

89 participants from local agencies (Wisma Putra, SEARCCT, IDFR, PDRM), and students from UTAR, UITM, Participants MU & MAIU







DR. MURNI WAN MOHO NOR PENSYARAH KANAN, UPM



YBHG. DATO' GANESON SIVAGURUNATHAN KETUA PENGARAH SEARCCT



## RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

## PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS IN 2022

Forum 'Strengthening Social Cohesion Through Inter-Religious Understanding' (Persefahaman Antara Agama Perkukuh Kesepaduan Sosial)

Religious leaders and organisations often play a vital role in local communities, making them potential key partners in the approach to preventing violent extremism (PVE). Against this background, the Division organised a forum to promote mutual respect and understanding based on inter-religious and inter-cultural values as core principles. The forum on 'Strengthening Social Cohesion through Inter-Religious Understanding' (Persefahaman Antara Agama Perkukuh Kesepaduan Sosial) held at the Asia-Europe Institute on 21 September 2022, featured a moderator from the Friendship Group for Inter-religious Service and panellists from the Archdiocese of Kuala Lumpur, the Malaysia Buddhist Association, Angkatan Belia Islam Malaysia (ABIM), and the Malaysian Consultative Council of Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Sikhism, and Taoism. The forum received positive feedback from participants, encouraging SEARCCT to further explore the possibilities of advocating social cohesion from an inter-religious angle at the grass-roots level.

## Forum 'Understanding Between Religions Strengthen Social Cohesion' (Persefahaman Antara Agama Perkukuh Kesepaduan Sosial)

- Mr. Ahmad Fahmi Mohd Samsudin (Friendship Group for Inter-Religious Service);
- 2. Archbishop Julian Leow Beng Kim (Archdiocese of Kuala Lumpur);
- Moderator & 2. Archbishop 3. Puan Gowri
  - 3. Puan Gowri PS Thangaya (Malaysian Consultative Council for Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Sikhism, and Taoism
  - 4. Venerable Chuan Yuan (Malaysia Buddhist Association), and
  - 5. Mr. Muhammad Faisal Abdul Aziz (Angkatan Belia Islam Malaysia).
- Participants

Speakers

60 participants from local agencies (Wisma Putra, Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Youth and Sports, Ministry of Home Affairs, National Security Council, Angkatan Pertahanan Awam, RMP), and representatives from religious organisations (Catholic Church, Holy Family Church, Tzu Zi Foundation, Vajrayana Buddhist Council of Malaysia (VBCM), Association of Nexgen Christians of Malaysia (ANCOM), Malaysian Buddhist Association (MBA), and Gerakan Belia Se-Punjabi Malaysia)





## PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS IN 2022

ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) Seminar on 'The Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience to Prevent and Counter Counter-Terrorism and Violent Extremism Conducive to Terrorism (VECT)

The Division also worked together with the ASEAN-Malaysia National Secretariat (AMNS) in organising the ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) Seminar on "The Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience to Prevent and Counter Counter-Terrorism and Violent Extremism Conducive to Terrorism (VECT)," in Kuala Lumpur on 15 March 2022. The ARF seminar which Malaysia co-chaired alongside Australia and New Zealand, was participated by 112 participants from ARF Participating Countries. SEARCCT assisted in providing substantive input to the workshop such as identifying topics for the panel discussions, and relevant speakers from Malaysia. The seminar featured three speakers from Malaysia: Mr. Thomas Koruth Samuel (Session 1 on the Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience), Dr. Jasmine Begum (Session 2 on Moderating Online Content), and Mr. Asrul Daniel Ahmed (Session 3 on Mainstreaming Multi-Stakeholder Partnerships in Building Digital Resilience). The seminar emphasised on collaboration between government and technology companies, as well as civil society organisations/representatives such as youth in moderating terrorist and VECT content online.

## ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) Seminar on 'The Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience to Prevent and Counter Counter-Terrorism and Violent Extremism Conducive to Terrorism (VECT)

Moderator & Speakers	<ol> <li>Ambassador Khairi Omar (Moderator – Session 1 on Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience);</li> <li>Mr. Thomas Koruth Samuel (Panelist – Session 1 on Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience);</li> <li>Dr. Jasmine Begum (Panelist – Session 2 on Moderating Online Content); and</li> <li>Mr. Asrul Daniel Ahmed (Panelist – Session 3 on Mainstreaming Multi-Stakeholders Partnerships in Building Digital Resilience).</li> </ol>
Participants	112 participants from ARF Participating Countries

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

**PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS IN 2022** 

## RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

**PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS IN 2022** 

SEARCCT

## University Lecture Series: Preventing Terrorist Use of Internet

A lecture on "Preventing Terrorist Use of the Internet" was delivered by Ms. Jasmine Jawhar from the Institute and Diplomacy and Foreign Relations (IDFR), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Malaysia on 1 November 2022. The lecture was attended by 160 students from the Bachelor of Policy, Global Security, and Intelligence and the Bachelor of International Relations (Diplomacy and International Security) programmes of the National Defence University (UPNM). The University Lecture Series started in 2011, with almost 10,000 participants from students from higher education institutions such as UiTM, UNISZA, UTP, UMK, UMS, UKM, and USIM.

## **University Lecture Series (Preventing Terrorist Use of Internet)**

Ms. Jasmine Jawhar (IDFR) Speakers

**Participants** 

60 participants (Bachelor of Policy, Global Security, and Intelligence, and the Bachelor of International Relations (Diplomacy and International Security), National Defence University.





### SEARCCT's Selection of Articles 2022 (Published in December 2022)

SEARCCT's Selection of Articles is a compilation of articles on topics related to terrorism, Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (PCVE), security studies, peace and conflict studies, and international relations. Six articles were published in the 2022 edition. Among the articles featured are 'Aetiologies of Terrorism in Africa: The Boko Haram Experience in Nigeria', 'A New Psychological Theory of Radicalisation Process Towards Violent Extremism from the Malaysian Context', 'The Islamic State and the Use of Nasheed as a Continuous Propaganda Messaging Tool', 'Nipping Hate in the Bud: Early Intervention Methods to Address Hate Speech', 'Reasoning the Need for a National Action Plan to Counter Violent Extremism in Malaysia in the Post-IS Period: Internet Soul Searching Among Muslim Youth' and 'The Religion of Unbelief is One: Understanding Violent Extremist Discourse from A Linguistic Perspective'.

## SEARCCT's Selection of Articles 2022 (Published in December 2022)

- Dr. Mustapha Mohamed & Professor Dr. Ahmad Fauzi Abdul Hamid
- 2. Dr. Nurul Miza Mohd Rashid
- Authors/

Contributors

- 3. Dr. Wan Fariza Alyati Wan Zakaria
- 4. Dr. Murni Wan Mohd Nor
- 5. Dr. Kevin Fernandez
- 6. Dr. Noor Agsa Nabila Mat Isa & Dr. Johann Wolfgang Unger

## No-Book Book Club (NBBC) Podcast

In 2022, the Division continued with the podcast initiative. Thus far, two episodes have been recorded with guests: Dr. Ahmad El Muhammady on "Understanding Radicalisation" and Mr. Asrul Daniel Ahmed on "Gaming and Extremismlisation." The podcast initiative is aimed at mainstream research findings to the public in an effort to promote awareness on terrorism and violent extremism. This public awareness programme taps on the increasing popularity of podcasts, especially among younger segments, who are the "biggest audio generation." As of December 2022, the top played episode is "Youth and Their Voices," with guest speaker Dr. Wendy Yee Mei Tien (published in September 2021). The listenership includes audiences from Malaysia, Germany, the United States, and Australia, while the 23-27 age group makes up 50% of the listenership.

## No-Book Book Club (NBBC) Podcast

Guest

- 1. Dr. Ahmad El Muhammady
- 2. Mr. Asrul Daniel Ahmed
- 3. Dr. Murni Wan Mohd Nor

## **Understanding** Radicalisation

No-Book Book Club

19 Dec 2022 • 1 min left





and the best ways to mitigate the risks of radicalisation.



19 Dec 2022 • 25 min

## Research on Gaming and Extremism

The Division also explored a new research interest, namely gaming and extremism, having observed a growing emphasis on new technology and emerging platforms in the past year. The Division had the opportunity to share on "Perspectives on the Gaming Environment in Malaysia" at the United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT) event on "Examining the Intersection Between Gaming and Extremism." While the research is at an early stage, SEARCCT shared some insights on the gaming industry in Malaysia, which is rapidly growing with 14 million gamers and becoming an important platform for youth engagement. Some early engagement with users of gaming-adjacent platforms revealed that toxicity, racism, hate speech, and stereotyping exist on the platform. Although these elements are not explicitly extremist in nature, the relationship between extremist content and hate speech at the intersection of violent extremism could be explored. The research also aims to explore potential avenues and resources within the gaming community to mitigate exploitation on the gaming platform.

## Research on Gaming and Extremism

Objective

- 1. Exploring the scope and nature of violent extremists' exploitation of gaming spaces; and
- 2. Exploring potential avenues to prevent exploitation and building resilience on the platform.

## DIGITAL STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION DIVISION INTRODUCTION FOR DSCD SECTION

Therefore, the work of the Division entails analysing and comprehending the messaging and narratives of terrorist and violent extremist groups, as well as responding with counter- and alternative messaging, in order to ensure that our communities are prepared, well-equipped, and resilient enough to resist and reject the group's dangerous influence.

At the same time, the Division works with traditional and non-traditional actors, such as other government agencies, social media influencers, university undergraduates, community leaders, religious scholars, and civil society organisations, in order to leverage their knowledge, influence, and expertise to develop, strengthen, and improve the resilience of our communities.

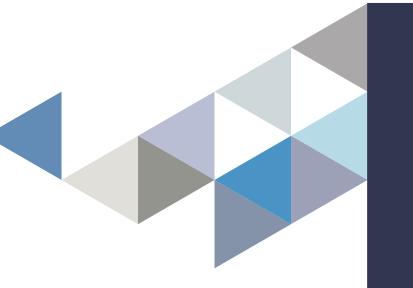
The Division also works with partners to develop effective, efficient, and comprehensive campaigns and approaches for combating the rise and spread of terrorist and violent extremist propaganda online and offline and for empowering both individuals and communities to resist their influence.



## DIVISION

## INTRODUCTION FOR DSCD SECTION

The Digital Strategic Communications Division's primary role is to combat the growing threat posed by terrorist and violent extremist messaging on the Internet, particularly via social media platforms.



the work of the Division entails analysing and comprehending the messaging and narratives of terrorist and violent extremist groups, as well as responding with counterand alternative messaging

## DIGITAL STRATEGIC CONGYILANLISTATIATISGULVUSIMIUNICATION DIVISION

## **PROGRAMMES FOR 2022**

## PROGRAMMES FOR 2022

## Preventing Extremism by Leveraging Impactful Tailored Approaches (PELITA)

Organised from 24 to 26 May 2022, and held in Element by Westin Kuala Lumpur in collaboration with UNDP Malaysia and the EU, PELITA was a multi-component programme that featured the launch of three PVE publications, a half-day forum, and a youth workshop on countering violent extremist narratives and hate speech.

Two of the publications were jointly developed by UNDP and SEARCCT, while another was produced by the All-Party Parliamentary Group Malaysia for Sustainable Development Goals (APPGM-SDG). The publications were:

- Preventing Violent Extremism and Promoting Social Cohesion: A Practical Guide for Journalists (UNDP and SEARCCT)
- Handbook for Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) on Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (PCVE) in Malaysia (UNDP and SEARCCT)
- · Building Inclusive Communities Training Manual (UNDP and APPGM-SDG)

The forum sessions following the launch expanded upon the themes addressed in the three publications and further highlighted concerted efforts by UNDP, SEARCCT, and other partners to leverage multi-stakeholder involvement (government, civil society, media, and youth) in strengthening community resilience and promoting social cohesion. Meanwhile, the three-day youth workshop aimed to enhance the role of youths in terrorism prevention, especially by countering hate speech and promoting social cohesion.

Some 28 students from local public and private higher education institutions such as UUM, UM, UKM, UoW, and UniRazak participated in this 'hands-on' workshop, which included interactive speaking sessions, breakouts, and stage performances centred around 'Positive Messaging' and 'Community Resilience'. In heeding the call to have a safe space for youth to air their views openly, a Discord channel called 'Peace Ninjaz' was initiated for participants to express themselves without prejudice. Some of the participants had also continued their engagement in various youth-related initiatives after the workshop, such as talents for MyAman social media campaigns and the UNDP video series on countering hate speech.

## Workshop on the 'Role of the Media in Countering Violent Extremism (CVE) and Radicalisation Leading to Terrorism' (March 2022)

SEARCCT collaborated with the Malaysian Press Institute (MPI) and the US Embassy KL to organise a workshop at the Pullman Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, from 29 to 31 March 2022. The participants of the workshop include members of the media, exposing them to the various aspects and sensitivities of reporting on violent extremism. The programme also featured perspectives to enhance the media's role as an active ally in Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (PCVE) efforts in Malaysia and to encourage the infusion of PCVE and social cohesion narratives into their daily reporting.

A total of 30 participants, comprising academicians and journalists from across print, online, and broadcast media platforms, attended the three-day workshop.

## Monitoring and Evaluation for Resilience in Collaboration with Youth (MERCY)

A collaboration with the United Nations Development Program (UNDP), Malaysia, and the European Union (EU), the MERCY programme aimed to build the capacity of local civil society organisations (CSOs) in effective project design and to incorporate monitoring and evaluation (M&E) elements into their projects, with a focus on initiatives that leverage the role of youths in preventing violent extremism (PVE). The two-day programme was held from 17 to 18 May 2022 in the Pullman Hotel, Kuala Lumpur. The programme covered training sessions to familiarise participants with the methodologies, tools, and best practises of impactful PVE programming, such as the theory of change, actor mapping, and baseline assessments.

Participants also took part in breakout activities to draft proposals and work plans that incorporate M&E components into their youth programming, with guidance from SEARCCT and UNDP facilitators.

## UNODC Cross-Regional and Regional Workshops on Strategic Communications and Multi-Stakeholder Partnerships

This year, the Division embarked on a series of training programmes in collaboration with the Terrorism Prevention Branch of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) that were broadly themed around building strategic communications and counter-narrative capacities, as well as fostering multi-stakeholder partnerships in PVE. The training workshops spanned cross-regional and regional participation, involving governmental and non-governmental representatives from countries like the Maldives, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Indonesia, the Philippines, and Malaysia.

The first programme organised from 22 to 23 June 2022 in Grand Millennium Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, was the 'Advanced cross regional training activity for PVE practitioners in South and Southeast Asia on effective prevention of ideological exploitation for terrorist purposes and the development of collaborative public-non-public partnerships to address the impacts of COVID-19'. The objective of the programme was to build and strengthen collaborative public-private partnerships to prevent violent radicalisation and to strengthen whole-of-society approaches to fostering community resilience.

In June, September and October 2022, UNODC and SEARCCT organised the first, second, and third regional training programmes to promote peer-to-peer learning and standard-setting in strategic communication, alternative and counter-narratives to prevent individuals from engaging in related radicalisation processes, including VE and terrorism. The series of training workshops, which were physically held in Kuala Lumpur, were attended by participants from Malaysia, Indonesia, and the Philippines. It aimed to equip PVE practitioners with the skills to design effective local and national communication campaigns on PVE.

The training featured experts like Priyank Mathur from Mythos Labs, Alexander Ritzmann, and Stefania Koskova from the EU Radicalisation Awareness Network (EU RAN), who provided participants with theoretical and practical guidance on GAMMMA+ (Goal, Audience, Message, Messenger, Medium, Action + Evaluation), a model to develop and implement effective alternative and counter narrative campaigns.

## DIGITAL STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION DIVISION

**PROGRAMMES FOR 2022** 

## Webinar on 'Cybersecurity and Emerging Technologies' with Dr. Robert Hercock

The Division organised a webinar with cybersecurity expert Dr. Robert Hercock, on 20 May 2022, and was attended by various government agencies and stakeholders interested in the cybersecurity and information technology sectors. The main objective of the half-day dialogue was to facilitate the sharing of Dr. Hercock's renown expertise in this field, especially in navigating current issues and challenges related to the rapid evolution of digital technologies and its implications for cybersecurity policies and practises in Malaysia. The audience also had the opportunity to ask Dr. Hercock their pressing questions about matters relating to cybersecurity and enhancing the preservation and protection of digital spaces.

## Joint Webinar on 'Countering the Threat of Radicalisation in India & Malaysia'

The webinar held on 27 May 2022 was jointly organised by SEARCCT and the Manohar Parrikar Institute for Defense Studies and Analyses (MP-IDSA), a think tank in India that conducts research on defence and security related issues.

The webinar was envisioned as a starting point in creating a common platform for Malaysia and India to exchange knowledge and experience in combating terrorism and violent extremism, as well as to discuss multi-faceted approaches in tackling online and offline radicalisation in both countries.

More than 70 local and international participants, comprising mainly government and non-government officials involved in terrorism prevention efforts in both countries, attended the webinar

## Malaysian Youth as Peace Ambassadors (MyPA) National Programme

"Malaysian Youth as Peace Ambassadors" (MYPA) is an initiative of the International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilization (ISTAC-IIUM), SEARCCT, MyKampus Radio (MKR), and the US Embassy in Malaysia. The program focused on nation-building, specifically developing resilience among youth against radicalization by promoting positive narratives through peer-to-peer communication and social media, among other platforms.

The first phase of MYPA in 2022 was a 7-days youth programme that consisted of a 2-days Training of Facilitators among 14 undergraduates from local universities and a 5-days youth workshop with 120 polytechnic students' leaders from 12 polytechnics nationwide. It began on the 30 of May 2022 and ended on the 5 of June 2022.

The second workshop was held at the Grand Barakah Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, from 28 to 30 October 2022. The workshop was part of a roadshow under the second phase of the MYPA initiative. It was held in KL among 40 undergraduates from IIUM. Among the themes discussed for phase two were unity, managing differences, and peaceful co-existence. The overall programme incorporated forum sessions, interactive speaking sessions, breakouts, and presentations by participants, prepping them to be "peace ambassadors" to spread the message of peace and unity in their respective communities.

## DIGITAL STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION DIVISION PROGRAMMES FOR 2022

### Intervention and Rehabilitation Group (IRG) Expert Workshops

Based on the Early Warning, Early Response (EWER) workshops organised in 2021 with the UNODC Regional Office for Southeast Asia and the Pacific (ROSEAP), SEARCCT embarked on a follow-up initiative to pioneer an Intervention and Rehabilitation Group (IRG) that would be responsible for conducting early interventions against individuals suspected of becoming radicalised online. The IRG would function as a first line of defence in rehabilitating those who have displayed early cognitive signs of radicalisation, but have yet to engage in physical violence. Through the IRG, law enforcement officials would only need to intervene as a last resort.

To that end, SEARCCT collaborated again with UNODC ROSEAP to organise two expert workshops in July and September 2022. The first workshop was held at SEARCCT to brainstorm and establish a concrete Terms of Reference (ToR) that would guide the IRG's functions and operations. The second expert workshop was held for three days in Port Dickson to build the capacities of the core group of IRG experts in conducting effective social media research, online sentiment analysis, and open-source investigations.

## 'Building Resilience Through Art' with Galeri Petronas

As an initiative to explore the role of culture and art in Preventing Violent Extremism (PVE), SEARCCT collaborated with Galeri PETRONAS in organising a public awareness programme at the gallery on 15 August 2022. In line with the theme of their exhibition, "Tegar' (Resilience), officers from SEARCCT spoke on the importance of unity in the community and building resilience through the arts. PETRONAS staff, members of the public, and representatives from selected government agencies were among the participants in this programme.

## **SOCIAL MEDIA - YOUTH**

The Division has been engaging with Malaysian youths online via social media since 2019, mainly via Facebook. Eventually, Instagram, Twitter, and YouTube accounts will be created. In 2022, the Division expanded its social media presence to two more contemporary platforms, Tik Tok and Discord, in order to reach out to young millennials and Gen Zs based on current trends and their interests.

In April 2022, a new campaign was introduced to provide Malaysian youngsters a space to voice their opinions, concerns, and views on various topics and issues that matter to them, in addition to spreading positive messages that focus on good values such as unity, compassion, tolerance, etc. Much of the message revolves around building and enhancing digital and community resilience by emphasising the importance of online safety, social cohesion, and peace-building.

In the year, the Instagram account reached the status of micro influencer, with a total reach of 2,020,121, engagement of 119,228 and total views of 225,612 (January-December 2022). Additionally, the YouTube channel has also reached nano-influencer status, gaining a total of 131,000 views and 102,100 impressions. The recently started Tik Tok account has also gained momentum among the younger demographic, with some of the contents receiving thousands of views, and one particular content has obtained almost 18,000 views and counting.

## DIGITAL STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION DIVISION

**PROGRAMMES FOR 2022** 

## Youth Engagement and Empowerment Programme (YEEP)

The YEEP Programme is part of the Global Programme on PCVE initiated by the United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT) and UN Counter-Terrorism Centre (UNCCT). The programme seeks to empower and enable young people to contribute meaningfully to the UN's global, regional, and national PCVE efforts. The YEEP empowers young leaders to build and implement youth-led workshops in their communities with the aim of providing "brave spaces" for young leaders to listen to their peers' priorities in the area of PCVE and then advocate for these to decision-makers. The YEEP programme was brought to the South Asia/Southeast Asia region following the successful pilot programme in Sudan, Sweden, and Australia. SEARCCT had worked with UNOCT to prepare two (2) participants to represent Malaysian youth in the programme.

The Division organised a one-day programme and coordinated two follow-up sessions in order to prepare the two Malaysian participants, Mr. Pravin Balamohan and Ms. Najwa Farahah Nazri, to build their capacity in peer-to-peer learning and engagement through the Goal, Reality, Options, Will (GROW) model, Active Social Listening and other relevant skills. The participants were then tasked with conducting research among their peers to identify issues and topics for the policy recommendations that they presented in Bangkok during the Regional Policy Dialogue among member states.

This three-day event in Bangkok, Thailand brought together young leaders from South and Southeast Asian countries, as well as UN representatives from the region. During the first two days, YEEP participants engaged with UN experts in a workshop on Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (PCVE). The third day was focused on facilitating an exchange between youth participants, policymakers, and UN representatives. The YEEP participants, including from Malaysia, presented their findings from their peer-to-peer engagement with a total of 170 young people across their home countries. As a result, the young leaders produced a future roadmap for their engagement in PCVE. Furthermore, with the new connections made during the dialogue, they will also be producing a joint policy recommendation paper.

## Whole Of Government Crisis and Strategic Communications Workshop for PCVE in Malaysia' Workshop

To round off the year, the Division collaborated with UNOCT/UNCCT to organise a workshop on crisis and strategic communications based on UNOCT's comprehensive training curriculum to support the capabilities of Member States related to crisis communications preparedness and response. The three-day workshop was held in Element by Westin, Kuala Lumpur from 19 to 21 December 2022. The workshop featured the participation of 30 representatives from over 20 different government agencies, with the aim of creating a shared "whole-of-government" narrative to combat violent extremism and promote social cohesion.

Participants dived deep into aspects of strategic communications that government agencies need to think about when developing concise, cohesive, and consistent messaging during and after a crisis. They were also trained in conducting audience analysis and stakeholder mapping and engagement. Utilising the theoretical and practical inputs they gained from the workshop, the participants were involved in a crisis simulation exercise to manage and respond to a terrorist attack scenario using a whole of government approach and adopting a shared narrative that would promote social cohesion and community resilience in the aftermath of the incident.



# ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION

## INTRODUCTION

The Administration and Finance Division is accountable for SEARCCT's overall performance and delivers core support services to the other four (4) Divisions. With regard to its human resources, SEARCCT has a total of 56 posts, with an additional two administrative posts that were provided by the Ministry to assist SEARCCT in its organisational operations. Up to the end of 2022, 43 posts were filled, leaving 13 vacant. Alternatively, the Centre has officers from the uniformed services on a secondment basis, which include two from the Royal Malaysian Police and one from the Malaysian Armed Forces that have always been among SEARCCT's stakeholders.

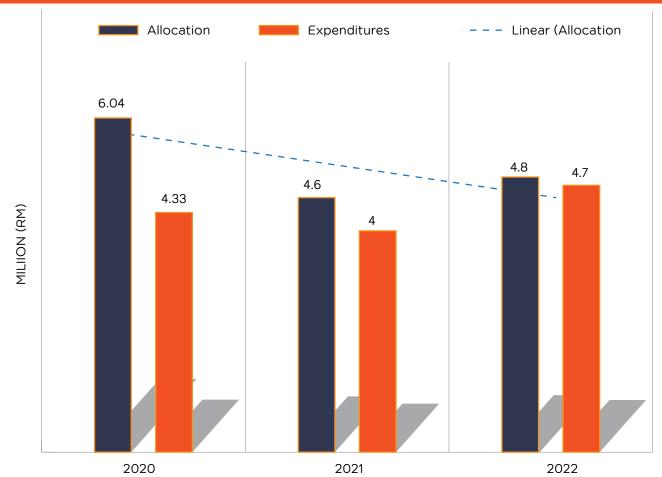
## **ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION**

## FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

The approved allocation for SEARCCT'S overall budget in 2022 was RM4,757,600.00. The total operating expenditure for 2022 was RM4,667,861.97 (98.31%). This amount was spent mostly on remuneration and payments. (Refer to the table for SEARCCT's financial performance.)

Year	Allocations (RM)	Expenditures (RM)	Balance (RM)	Spending (%)
2020	6,040,000.00	4,328,146.67	1,603,378.33	71.66%
2021	4,561,500.00	3,977,157.84	574,716.16	87.19%
2022	4,757,600.00	4,667,861.97	80,200.09	98.11%

## SEARCCT'S FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE BREAKDOWN



## **ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION**

## HUMAN CAPITAL PERFORMANCE

The Division organised numerous internal trainings and activities were conducted to ensure that the human capital at the Centre would be optimised, boosted, and sharpened for better productivity and results.

## LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022

## Workshop for Determination of The Work Process (Procurement and Financial), SEARCCT

The workshop was held in the Best Western Hotel I-City Shah Alam from 31 October to 1 November 2022 in Shah Alam, Selangor. The purpose of the workshop was to improve procurement and finance-related work processes. The workshop also aimed to ensure that the performance of the allocated financial expenditure for SEARCCT improves and is spent optimally, as well as to enhance officers' understanding of fundamental financial procedures and procurement knowledge.





## **ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE DIVISION**

**LIST OF PROGRAMMES IN 2022** 

## SEARCCT'S Fitness and Team Building Workshop

Recognising the importance of teamwork in achieving an organisation's objectives, the Division organised a fitness and teambuilding course for its staff. Its purpose was to encourage teamwork and individualism in performance as well as to break down communication barriers within SEARCCT. Additionally, the workshop also focuses on ensuring that the staff has an adequate level of physical fitness. The workshop was held from 29 October to 12 November 2022, in Janda Baik, Pahang.







## ANNEXES

## **SEARCCT PROGRAMMES IN 2022**

NO	PROGRAMMES	DATE START	DATE END	COLLABORATORS	VENUE	PARTICIPANTS	
1	Countering the Financing of Terrorism Training: Foundation Course 1/2022	09/02/22	11/02/22	UNODC	Pelangi Beach Resort and Spa, Langkawi Kedah	28 Locals	Terrorism Financing
2	Terrorism 101 Course	22/02/22	23/02/22	Sarawak Information Systems Sdn Bhd (SAINS)	Kuching, Sarawak	38 Locals (SAINS Staff)	PCVE
3	Common Identity: Values for an Inclusive and Cohesive Society (Civics) FGD #1 (universities)	25/02/22	25/02/22	In-House	SEARCCT	8 Locals	PCVE
4	Common Identity: Values for an Inclusive and Cohesive Society (Civics) FGD #2 (NGOs/CSOs)	15/03/22	15/03/22	In-House	SEARCCT	8 Locals	PCVE
5	ARF Seminar on the Role of Youth in Building Digital Resilience to Prevent and Counter Terrorism and Violent Extremism Conducive to Terrorism \ (VECT)	15/03/22	15/03/22	AMNS			PCVE
6	Workshop on the Role of Media in CVE	29/03/22	31/03/22	US Embassy, MPI	Pullman Hotel, KL	30 Locals (media)	PCVE
7	CBRNE Terrorism Awareness and Medical Emergency	29/03/22	31/03/22	Hospital Sultanah Bahiyah Kedah	Hospital Sultanah Bahiyah Kedah	144 Locals	CBRNE
8	Webinar Manifestasi Falsafalah Hidup Bersama dalam Budaya Damai di Ruang Digital	17/05/22	17/05/22	In-House	SEARCCT	89 Locals	PCVE
9	Monitoring And Evaluation for Resilience in Collaboration with Youth (MERCY) Workshop	17/05/22	18/05/22	UNDP, EU	Pullman Hotel, KL	15 Locals (CSO)	PCVE

NO	PROGRAMMES	DATE START	DATE END	COLLABORATORS	VENUE	PARTICIPANTS	FLAGSHIPS
10	Webinar: Cybersecurity and Emerging Technologies with Dr. Robert Hercock	20/05/22	20/05/22	In-House	SEARCCT	66 Locals	PCVE
11	Preventing Extremism by Leveraging Impactful Tailored Approaches (PELITA) Forum	24/05/22	24/05/22	UNDP, EU	Element by Westin, KL	25 Locals, 4 Internationals	PCVE
12	Preventing Extremism by Leveraging Impactful Tailored Approaches (PELITA) Youth Workshop	25/05/22	26/05/22	UNDP, EU	Element by Westin, KL	28 Locals (private & public uni)	PCVE
13	Joint Webinar "Countering the Threat of Radicalisation in India & Malaysia"	27/05/22	27/05/22	MP-IDSA, India	SEARCCT	75 Locals + Internationals (India did not share with us breakdown)	PCVE
14	Malaysian Youth as Peace Ambassadors (MyPA) Workshop #1 – National Programme	30/05/22	05/06/22	US Embassy, ISTAC-IIUM, My Kampus Radio	Olympic Hotel, KL	130 Locals (polytechnic students)	PCVE
15	UNODC-SEARCCT Advanced Cross-Regional Training on Preventing Ideological Exploitation of Terrorist Narratives and Developing Public-Non- Public Partnerships	22/06/22	23/06/22	UNODC, Govt of Japan	Grand Millenium Hotel, KL	18 Locals, 20 Internationals	PCVE
16	UNODC-SEARCCT First Regional Training on Strategic Communications	27/06/22	28/06/22	UNODC, Govt of Japan	Grand Millenium Hotel, KL	18 Locals (gov't + CSOs), 20 Internationals	PCVE
17	"An Introduction to Battlefield Evidence for Criminal Justice Practitioners" Course	13/07/22	15/07/22	OPDAT, USA	Doubletree Hotel by Hilton, KL	21 Locals	Investigation and Legal Aspect

## **SEARCCT PROGRAMMES IN 2022**

NO	PROGRAMMES	DATE START	DATE END	COLLABORATORS	VENUE	PARTICIPANTS	FLAGSHIPS
18	Intervention and Rehabilitation Group Workshop #1	18/07/22	18/07/22	UNODC, EU	SEARCCT	10 Locals	PCVE
19	Building Resilience Through Art	15/08/22	15/08/22	Galeri PETRONAS	Galeri PETRONAS	30 Locals (public)	PCVE
20	Aviation Security Workshop (Basic)	23/08/22	25/09/22	SEARCCT	St. Giles The Wembley, Pulau Pinang	30 Locals	Critical Infrastructure Protection
21	Intervention and Rehabilitation Group Workshop #2	05/09/22	07/09/22	UNODC, EU	Lexis Hibiscus, Port Dickson	12 Locals	PCVE
22	Youth Engagement and Empowerment Programme (YEEP) - 1 day programme	19/09/22	19/09/22	UNOCT	SEARCCT	2 Locals (Youth)	PCVE
23	Forum Kenegaraan 'Persefahaman Antara Agama Perkukuh Kesepaduan Sosial'	21/09/22	21/09/22	In-House	Auditorium AEI, UM	60 Locals	PCVE
24	UNODC-SEARCCT Second Regional Training on Strategic Communications	27/09/22	28/09/22	UNODC, Govt of Japan	Grand Millenium Hotel, KL	19 Locals (gov't + CSOs), 20 Internationals	PCVE
25	UNODC-SEARCCT Third Regional Training on Strategic Communications	18/10/22	19/10/22	UNODC, Govt of Japan	Grand Millenium Hotel, KL	17 Locals (gov't + CSOs), 20 Internationals	PCVE
26	Malaysian Youth as Peace Ambassadors (MyPA) Workshop #2 - KL	28/10/22	30/10/22	US Embassy, ISTAC-IIUM	Grand Barakah Hotel, Ampang, KL	40 Locals (IIUM students)	PCVE
27	University Lecture Series: Preventing Terrorist Use of the Internet	01/11/22	01/11/22	UPNM	UPNM	160 Locals	PCVE
28	'Whole of Government Crisis and Strategic Communications Workshop for PCVE in Malaysia' Workshop	19/12/22	21/12/22	UNOCT & EU	Element by Westin, KL	30 Locals (government agencies)	PCVE

## **SEARCCT PARTICIPANTS BY PROGRAMMES**

YEAR	TOTAL OF	TOTAL OF	NO. OF PAR	RTICIPANTS
YEAR	PROGRAMMES	PARTICIPANTS	LOCAL	FOREIGN
2003	1	63	20	43
2004	11	490	205	285
2005	12	383	223	160
2006	11	318	229	89
2007	11	357	183	174
2008	11	281	220	61
2009	14	420	351	69
2010	11	331	245	86
2011	14	388	265	123
2012	16	443	365	78
2013	17	432	359	73
2014	17	681	602	79
2015	24	924	681	243
2016	27	1,657	1,490	167
2017	21	1,056	938	118
2018	23	1,207	1,083	124
2019	23	847	724	123
2020	14	414	414	0
2021	14	283	270	13
2022	28	1,235	1,151	84
TOTAL	320	12,525	8,309	4,216

ANNEX B

## ANNEX C

## SEARCCT PROGRAMMES BY FLAGSHIPS

YEAR	INVESTIGATION AND LEGAL ASPECTS	CRITICAL INFRASTRUTURE PROTECTION	CBRNE AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT	TERRORISM FINANCING	P/CVE
2003	0	0	0	1	0
2004	1	1	3	1	5
2005	2	3	4	1	2
2006	1	2	6	2	0
2007	4	1	3	2	1
2008	4	2	3	0	2
2009	3	3	3	1	4
2010	0	2	4	3	2
2011	1	1	7	3	2
2012	2	3	5	0	6
2013	1	3	5	1	7
2014	0	4	6	1	6
2015	1	3	6	1	13
2016	0	3	5	0	19
2017	2	2	4	2	11
2018	0	1	5	1	16
2019	2	3	6	2	10
2020	1	2	2	1	5
2021	2	0	0	1	5
2022	1	1	1	1	24
TOTAL	28	52	78	25	137



